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1. On 3 July, the Chief of the Argentine Federal Police, Brigadier General Arturo Bertollo, held a half hour confidential conference with Bishop Miguel de Andrea, a close friend of Bertollo and a democratic Catholic labor leader who is opposed by the Peron regime. Bertollo expressed deep concern over the current Argentine political situation and indicated his disapproval of the manner in which other government officials interfere in the workings of the police department.
2. According to source, Bertollo's wife has indicated that her husband may soon resign because of the difficulties under which he is forced to work and because of his disagreements with certain government officials.

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